

First Friday Gallery Hop Participants November 7, 2008 6:00 – 10:00 P.M.

COVINGTON ARTISAN'S ENTERPRISE CENTER - 25 West 7th St.

The Artisan's Center is the hub of the Covington Arts District. It is a spacious art gallery with room for a variety of venues. Artists are welcome to utilize the Center's resources and the public can enjoy art that reflects the vibrant Covington arts community. Art is for everyone!

Featuring recent watercolor "Artistic Expressions" with artists Phyllis Dattilo, Theresa Freytag, Susan Pater, Anne Kops and Elaine West. Open with refreshments from 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 pm.

COMMUNITY ACTION GALLERY - 717 Madison Ave.

The Northern Kentucky Community Action Commission helps low income individuals and families develop the knowledge, skills, and resources they need to achieve self reliance. Our Community Action Gallery discovers and showcases emerging and established fine artists for the enjoyment of the community and the endorsement of the artists. Our celebration of art makes us a partner with all of creation. Open to the public Monday thru Friday from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm and every First Friday Gallery Hop.

"PASTELS WITH A BIT OF HUMOR" By artists Ken Page Painter and Sculptor Ken Page followers will delight in his venture into pastels to create the pastoral ambiance characteristic of his work. Opening Reception Friday November 7 6:00-9:00 pm. Runs thru November 28. Hours Monday thru Friday 9:00 am. to 4:00 pm.

KEYSTONE PUB - 313 Greenup St.

Keystone is Covington's KEY to great homemade food and good times! We have huge plasma tvs in every room to watch all sporting events and have 3 private rooms perfect for any party. Featuring local artist Mike Maydak for November gallery hop. mikem@slimbone.com

NORDHEIM GALLERY – 2500 Madison Ave.

The Nordheim Gallery, on the historic Holmes High School campus, is operated by Covington Independent Public Schools. Conceived by art teacher, Miss Betty Lee Nordheim, the gallery was established in 1990 as part of students' fine arts enrichment and as an outreach to the community. Under the direction of Trisha Brundage since August 2003, the Nordheim Gallery presents a new exhibit of original work by established or emerging professional and amateur artists each month. Opening receptions are on the first Friday of Sep.- Dec., Feb., Mar., May and June. Other hours are by appointment.

PASSIONATE ARTS GALLERY 31 & 33 – 33 West Pike St.

Art Studios, Galleries and available retail in the Historic Arts District. Participating in the First Friday Gallery Hop since 2005, Gallery 31 shows the new work of ten resident studio artists. Gallery 33 hosts guest artists, with shows changing monthly. The Center galleries are open on First Fridays and by appointment.

November 7, 2008; 6:00 pm. to 10:00 pm. The Passionate Arts Center announces the closing of Gallery 31: Catherine Logsdon, paintings: "Whisperings, Angel Wings, and Other Unseen Things". New art by resident studio artists Donna Bross, Marianne Burke, Paula Cole, Sue Friedmann, Meg Jung, Jamie Mazza, and Jacqueline McGuire.

SWAYNE ON MAIN - 518 Main St.

Swayne on Main is a funky, yet elegant salon located in the historical heart of Covington, Main Strauss. We're thinking, "Outside the Box". Our artist are hip and we specialize in the latest trends in Cuts & Color. David Hammond: Painter & Photographer. A relative newcomer on the art scene, Mr. Hammond's work is edgy and sensuous. Black & whites and full color photos, as well as bold acrylics, are available for viewing and for purchase.

JULIE'S INSPIRATION CONSIGNMENT SHOPPE - 610 Main St.

Consignment shop featuring two floors of clothing, jewelry, accessories, home goods & art. Large selection of Vintage clothing, accessories & collectibles as well. We always feature art by local artists, mostly watercolors & photography. Visit our clearance department. Open Mon., Tues., Thurs., Sat 10:00 am. - 6:00 pm.; Weds, Fri. 10:00 am. -7:00 pm.; Sun 11:00 am. - 5:00 pm.

BAR MONET - 837 Willard St.

Featuring amazing works by Maryanne Anderson. The bar will be open until 1 am and have karaoke following the opening.

ART BY COVINGTON'S FUTURE - 1650 Russell St.

Center for Great Neighborhoods, that connects youth with real life experiences. Youth create and market art products with local artists. After a ten week business and art training period, youth have the opportunity to earn stipends for their work. All sales proceeds go back into the program.

New this year is the screen printing studio at the Artisans' Enterprise Center. Student will be demonstrating and selling their work.

SANDRA SMALL GALLERY – 124 West Pike St.

Insider/Outsider: Alternative Views of America. On Nov. 14 I will open "Gardens" with Leslie Birkhead and Linda Riddle. The Holiday show will begin Dec. 5 and will include paintings, drawings, furniture, textiles, hand made jewelry, and items from around the world.

LEAPIN LIZARD GALLERY - 726 Main St.

With handcrafted goods, gifts & artwork from over 150 national & local artists, Leapin Lizard is filled with unique pieces that you just can't find anywhere else in the area. From whimsical to functional, the gallery features original work in almost every media from paintings to outdoor sculpture & a huge selection of fabulous jewelry!

Through the Lens; Group Photography Exhibit. Featuring Kenny Mitchell from McDowell KY; Nature Photography in beautiful handmade frames & Scott Raper of KY; Architectural, observational photography.